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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Hayashi ITOH et al.  
Serial No.: 09/995,276  
Filed: November 26, 2001  
For: **RECEIVING DEVICE AND TRANSMISSION DEVICE  
APPARATUS**  
Group Art Unit: 2614  
Examiner: Christopher L. Parry

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants respond to the Notice of June 15, 2006 and the Restriction Requirement of

February 24, 2006 as follows:

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited  
with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in  
an envelope addressed: Assistant Commissioner for Patents,  
P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on August 3, 2006.

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Signature

August 3, 2006


Date of Signature

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional  
fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to  
Account No. 50-1145.

The Examiner has issued a requirement for restriction. In response, Applicants elect the claims directed to Figure 27. The claims readable thereon include Claim 14.

If any additional fee is due, the amount of such fee may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-1145.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ronald E. Brown", with a stylized flourish at the end.

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